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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of May 31, 2007, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response will expire on August 31, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejection set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action, in view of the herein contained remarks.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this Response.